

## Message Text

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E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: CGEN, PO  
SUBJECT: BUSINESS PROBLEMS: LITTON INDUSTRIES

REF: LISBON 4781

1. IN RESPONSE TO EMBASSY LETTER REQUESTING INFORMATION, LITTON V.P. WARWICK AND EUROPEAN COUNSEL ERNST CALLED EMBASSY FROM ZURICH ON SEPTEMBER 15.
2. WARWICK STATED THAT LITTON HAD MADE FINAL DECISION TO CEASE OPERATIONS IN PORTUGAL. HE NOTED THE PORTUGUESE FIRM WAS "FINANCIALLY MARGINAL" DUE TO MARKET CONDITIONS AND THE LABOR SITUATION, AND THAT LITTON HAS DECIDED TO TURN FIRM OVER TO WORKERS. LITTON MAINTAINS ASSETS ARE LARGE ENOUGH TO COVER WORKER INDEMNIFICATION AND HAS APPOINTED LAWYER IN LISBON TO TAKE ALL NECESSARY LEGAL STEPS.
3. EMBASSY INFORMED WORKERS COMMISSION OF ABOVE RESPONSE TO THEIR PROPOSAL.  
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